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THE INDIANS.

There are reports and counter-reports being circulated respecting the Indians of the North West. Men who are in a position and qualified to judge say that there is danger of an Indian uprising before spring. Then again there are telegrams from various points saying there need be no fear. Rev. E. S. W. Pentreath, a gentleman who is a close observer of events, and who has opportunities of being posted, and whose opinion is valuable, writes to the Winnipeg Manitoban his convictions on this subject. He says he is of the opinion that unless a sufficient force is promptly sent to disarm the Indians we shall be plunged into the horrors of an Indian war to which the late rebellion would be a trifle.

It may not be known to many of your readers that within a radius of 100 miles from Fort McLeod there are about seventy thousand American-Canadian Indians, twenty-seven thousand of whom are warriors. The Indians are becoming more impudent every day, the camps on both sides of the line are full of stolen horses. To attempt to take these would be to set a spark to gunpowder. All the mounted police in the North West cannot take them away. There is every indication of a combination of the Indian race in their final struggle with the white man. History will simply repeat itself. No one can doubt the issue; but knowing the isolated position of the settlements and the large body of Indians that could combine in concerted rising, one cannot think of the possibility of such a thing without a shudder. Out west, Americans accustomed to western life, and other experienced men are calmly discussing the coming event, and in some cases measures have been taken about the removal of women and children at the first signs of a rising. Western men are full of the impending crisis. It appears to me that the Government is lulled into false security. After a rising has begun, it will take 10,000 men to put it down. Prompt measures now, with a much smaller number, would disarm the Indians and place them on reserves. There they must be kept. Whatever sympathy we may feel for the Indian race, there is no doubt that the present generation must be held in check by wholesome fear. Our hope in dealing with them is to reach the children. A generation or two of Christian and civilizing influences will have its effect. But now the Indians must be made to feel power, tempered with justice. I ask, then, cannot something be done by public opinion to force the adoption of measures to avert the calamity of a rising. If any one thinks that I have overstated the case let them enquire from reliable persons in the west. The facts are too true.

Careful enquiry reveals the fact that what Rev. Mr. Pentreath says is only too true. Horses and cattle have been stolen by the Indians in the west with the greatest impunity, and although it is stated that the

stolen horses have been taken chiefly from other tribes across the line, and have not been claimed, the fact remains that the horses have been stolen, and it is not denied that cattle have been stolen from settlers and slaughtered. Every instance of the violation of the law should be promptly punished, and the measures given to understand that the rights of property must be respected. Indians have no more right to steal from other Indians than from whites, and if allowed to go unpunished, it will only prompt them to depredations on the white population. The Government should make no mistake beforehand with the Indians as they did with the half-breeds. Prompt and effective measures would avert what might very probably be serious calamities.

THE FARMERS' UNION.

A correspondent writes us to the effect that we are a little severe on the Farmers Union last week. His letter will be found elsewhere. We are not prepared to find fault with his reference to the benefits to be derived from the Union. But from personal experience, we were led to condemn the useless and sensational agitation which the Secretary of the Union fosters for the express purpose of keeping the Farmers Union well advertised throughout the country. We are now of the same belief as we were when the Union was first organized that it could be made an institution that might be a great benefit to the farmers. Provided it were properly conducted it could secure to them the benefits of competition everywhere in the purchase of produce, and the breakdown of the combinations that have been fleecing the farmers of Manitoba and the Northwest. The agricultural implement manufacturers have been bleeding the farmers of the country by extortionate prices till many of them have been well nigh ruined. They were enabled to do this by the high customs tariff exacted on imported implements. The manufacturers of Ontario formed a combination to keep up high prices for implements. The monopoly thus created loaded our pioneers with burdens under which many have succumbed, and many more have been placed under heavy obligations, secured by mortgages on their homesteads, which were free gifts from the Government. The extortionate prices for machinery would not have long been possible without a high tariff, for our proximity to the United States would have enabled us to bring the manufactures of that country into competition with those of Ontario, thus keeping down the prices. The resolution of the North West Council asking the Dominion Government to grant a rebate equal to the duty on agricultural implements, is calculated to give substantial benefits to the farmer. Granting that the National Policy is a benefit to the Dominion at large, and that it tends to foster the industries of the country. Such being the case, those engaged in the farming industry in Manitoba and the Northwest have the right to claim the advantages of legislative enactment for their especial benefit. Upon the success of agriculture the prosperity of this part of the Dominion wholly depends. It therefore becomes the duty of the Government to give the farmers true protection, not by a heavy customs tariff on their products, but by a rebate of the duty on the implements they use, thus protecting them from the possibility of a combination being formed for the purpose of raising

them by extortionate prices. Had the Farmers Union avoided the worse than useless and sensational agitation which we condemn, they would have commanded the respect of the Government, and would have been enabled to press their claims for substantial benefits for the farmers of the country. We admit that some such organization was necessary, and that that now in existence effected much good, but as we contended in our last issue, the Secretary has brought it into disrepute. The Winnipeg Free Press, the Portage la Prairie Liberal and other papers of that political stripe, have been condemning the actions of the Secretary of the Union. The Portage la Prairie Liberal has shown that the Union has this season been buying wheat at both Brandon and Portage la Prairie, and that at the former place higher prices have been paid than at the latter, though it is a well known fact that no better wheat is grown anywhere than at Portage la Prairie, and that the freight rates are higher from Brandon. The Liberal goes on to show that the salaried Secretary of the Union has taken advantage of his position to make arrangements for speculating in wheat for his own individual benefit, and hence accounts for the fact that the Portage la Prairie farmers are not receiving full value for their wheat from the Union buyer. Then too, our personal knowledge of the operations of the Union in Southern Manitoba is what first convinced us of the unbusiness-like management of its Secretary. In that part of the province the Union had its greatest stronghold a year ago, but now it is most discredited there. The reason is that it bought wheat at Manitou and kept back fifteen cents per bushel, giving a ticket for that amount to the seller. Up to a few months ago these tickets had not been redeemed, and the holders of them were under the necessity of taking action and obtaining judgement against the Union for the outstanding amounts. These are the reasons why we condemn the Union or rather its Secretary. We are not actuated by political motives. It is our earnest desire to advocate the interests of the farmers, for on them depends the success of the country. We need only refer to the columns of THE PROGRESS in its advocacy of the rights of the Northwest to responsible government, and to our condemnation of the manner in which the affairs of this part of the Dominion have been administered by the Government, to show that we are not influenced by party political considerations in our editorial remarks. It will always be our aim to judge on their merits all questions at issue between the farmers of the Northwest, ever keeping in mind the true advancement of this part of the Dominion.

The interests of the farmers, and the bearing of legislative enactments upon their industry will bear further discussion, and we invite correspondence on the subject. Since the above was put in type, we learn that Mr. Purvis has resigned the Secretaryship of the Farmers' Union, and in an article on his resignation the Free Press substantiates every word we have said respecting him.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

If Calgary would make a little less noise on account of the enforcement of law, and respect for the law within her limits, she wouldn't lose much in public respect throughout the Dominion. The mountain breezes seem to operate in the west pretty

much as whiskey does in the effects east. Calgary should beware of mountain breezes. They will ultimately injure her health if she indulges in them incautiously and unreservedly as she has been doing of late.—Manitoban.

Captain Denny, of the I. D., who is in town, states that he has recently visited the Blood reserve, and everything is quiet there. The stolen horses, about which so much has been said, are undoubtedly on the reserve, but they are horses stolen from other Indians, chiefly the Gros Ventres, across the line, and have never been claimed. The sale of liquor to the Bloods has been stamped out. The Captain evidently does not put much faith in the alarming rumors which are flying about the country.—Calgary Herald.

In conversation with an old timer the other day we asked him what he thought about the Blood Indians. He replied that he thought they were in mighty bad shape. We asked the question plainly—there is no use in calling a wheelbarrow by any other name—do you think they are going to break out? He said that he did. This winter? Just as likely as not. He further volunteered the information that the Indians had it in their minds that the very first thing they would do would be to rip up the C. P. R. track, so that the troops would be delayed, and if possible to keep it torn up. It is very doubtful if another outbreak would be allowed to go very far by the rebels before they cut off all communication with the east, both by rail and telegraph. Even the wildest Indian is shrewd enough to know what important facts the steel rail and electric spark are in suppressing an outbreak, and would not repeat the blunder of their northern brethren. It will cost less to take measures for the prevention of an accident to the track or telegraph than it will to repair the damage, as it will cost less to prevent an outbreak than it will to suppress it. We are well prepared at Macleod to hold our own in case of an emergency, but it will not do to run any risk of having the eastern communication broken. Whether an Indian uprising comes or not, there is most assuredly something in the wind, and caution and vigilance are the duty of the hour.—Macleod Gazette.

Correspondence.

(Our columns are open to all provided the subject matter is of public interest, and proper language is used, but in no case do we hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by correspondents.)

TO THE EDITOR:—

SIR:—In your article on the Farmer's Union and the C. P. R., do you not think you were a little severe on the farmers who compose the Union. You said they were the dupes of the Secretary of the Union, whom you call "unscrupulous, self-seeking and dishonorable." In the first sentence you say "the Farmers Union has become a remarkably degenerated institution." In applying the term "dupes" to the members of the Farmers' Union, I think you have made a mistake. The Union comprises many men who are desirous of advancing the best interests of the country, and who feel that some such association is necessary for the protection of the farmers. They may not perhaps be in accord with unnecessary agitation, but believe that the Union has been and will continue a benefit to its members and the farming community at large. A number of the farmers in the vicinity of Qu'Appelle have in contemplation the organization of a branch of the Union, with the object of taking advantage of the

benefits it offers. THE PROGRESS has already established itself in the good opinion of many of the farmers of Assiniboia, who will look to it for aid and advice in their pioneering difficulties, but abuse of their brethren in Manitoba will not be very well appreciated. Thanking you for valuable space, I am,

Yours, etc.,
FARMER.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East Indian missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also of a radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellow-men. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing an envelope, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 119 Foster's Block, Boston, U.S.A.

No Apologies.

"We were poor enough in those days," said an eminent publicist, once, in talking to a friend about his early married life, with its hard struggles, its plain living and high thinking. "We were poor enough, and we lived a good deal on baked beans with no pork."

"Some folks didn't like beans with no pork to season them, but neither" (he meant his wife) "never made any apologies. When company came she put on an extra plate, and said dinner was ready just as cheerfully as if there had been ten courses."

"If they liked us well enough, to come again, they were always welcome. It was a kind of test. If they preferred pork, they stayed where it was plenty." To our thinking this frugal housewife proved her claim to be considered a lady more conclusively by making no apologies than she could have done in almost any other way. Does this chronic apologist ever stop to think how selfish she is, in considering the petty annoyance of being in this or that direction less perfectly appointed than she could wish, rather than the ease and comfort of her guests?

For what guest can be at ease having been made to feel that he has come at an inopportune time—that some other day his hostess would have been more ready and therefore more glad to see him?

A lady, well-known to the society of two cities, is a chronic marker of excuses. If you go to a large dinner-party at her house, you feel by some spiritual magnetism the unrest of her own spirit—to wear anxiety lest everything should not go off well, which makes it impossible for her to be quite at her ease.

"I beg your pardon," she says, at the end of your prettiest speech, showing that her thoughts have been elsewhere.

If you go to a family lunch or dinner, she does wish you had been there yesterday, when the soup was better, or that you had come to-morrow, instead, when some other dainty would have been attainable.

"Do you go often to see Mrs. So-and-So?" one friend asked of another, in our hearing.

"No, I don't," was the answer. "I'm sorry, for she is such a kind little woman; but I could not find her apologies. They always made me feel that I had come at the wrong time."

If the thought could be present to a hostess that to minimize profusely, is inevitably to make her guests feel that they have come "at the wrong time," surely she would avoid this error, since the very essence of good breeding is that genuine kindness of heart which strives to make people comfortable and not uncomfortable, happy and not unhappy.—*Yonah's Companion.*

—Until 1820 not a single steam vessel had visited Maine waters, and the appearance of a puffing, smoking steamer in Casco Bay, in that year, terrified some of the superstitious dwellers on the islands and the coast.—*Jordan Post.*

—Lovers of the so-called "blood oranges" will be interested to hear that their favorite fruit, having fallen short, certain dealers now prick the skins of ordinary oranges, and then subject the latter to a bath of colored liquid.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

—A native Jehu at Catskill has fixed up an old Concord coach and painted in the sides the words "Sally Roe." Nobody has as yet pointed out to him his mistake, and the vehicle is likely to cause many a laugh this summer as it goes up hill and down dale.—*Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

—Miss Jennie Cassidy, of Louisville, who is incurably confined to her bed as an invalid, is the selfless prominent superintendent of a flower mission, and now she wants to send bouquets to all the prisons, penitentiaries and reformatories in the United States. She thinks it will humanize the inmates while the flowers last.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

"I have a great mind to go down town to-night," said Mr. John to his wife. "What?" she replied, with a surprise. "I have a great mind to go down town to-night." "Whose?" she asked. "Whose?" "Whose great mind?" "My own, of course, madam," said he. And the rising objection she gave the exclamation was very provoking to a man of fine feeling.—*McClure's Analyser.*

OUR TERMS.

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—On Monday evening the 28th ult., the Freemasons had a very enjoyable time at a supper in Borland's hall, which was largely attended.

—At the annual meeting for the nomination of mayor and councillors for the ensuing year held in Borland's hall on Tuesday, the 29th ult., the following were declared elected by acclamation: Mr. S. L. Head, mayor; with Messrs. Webb, Grummit, Butchart, Hall, McNaught and Ross as councillors.

THE CRADLE.

On the 2nd inst., the wife of Thos. Cottingham of a daughter.

On the 4th inst., the wife of Robt. Maden of a son.

How to Handle a "Queen."

To catch a queen the operator first puts a little smoke into the entrance of the hive, waits a minute for the bees to fill themselves with honey, which smoke will cause them to do, and then carefully opens the hive. Being filled with honey, the bees are usually good natured, and will seldom sting unless pinched. A comb is carefully lifted and each side closely examined, and if the queen is not found returned and another one removed. When the queen is found she is carefully taken by the wings and put into the cage. Worker bees are often caught or caged in the same manner, it being impossible for them to sting when kept up by the wings. In warm weather eight or ten workers are sufficient as an escort, but as cool fall weather approaches the number is increased until it sometimes reaches forty or fifty. The shipping of queens by mail has been resorted to so exact a science that they are not only sent across the continent, but across the Atlantic. At the time of the removal of a laying queen from a nucleus, or soon after, a matured queen cell or newly hatched queen is given to the nucleus, and the apiarist may be able, ten days later, to ship another laying queen from the same nucleus.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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All Canadians of all parties and classes are invited to come forward and vie with each other in endeavoring on this great occasion to put Canada in her true place in the premier colony of the British Empire, and to establish her proper position before the world.

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Public Notice.

LEGISLATURE OF MANITOBA.

NOTICE RELATIVE TO NOTICES FOR PRIVATE BILLS.

48. No petition for Private Bill is received by the House after the first five days of the session.

50. All applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba within the purview of "The British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a bridge, the making of a railroad, turnpike road, or telegraph line; the construction or improvement of a harbor, canal, lock, dam, or slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any joint stock company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals, any exclusive or particular rights or privileges whatever; or for doing any matter or thing, which in its operation would affect the rights and property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act, shall require a notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application and where the application refers to any proposed work, indicating generally the location of the work, and signed by or on behalf of the applicants such notice to be presented to the Clerk of the House, during four weeks, between the close of the next preceding session, and the time of the consideration of the petition, published in every issue of the Manitoba Gazette, and in two other newspapers as aforesaid, one in English and one in French; and within one week from the first appearance of such notice in the Manitoba Gazette, a copy of said Bill, with the sum of one hundred dollars for each ten pages, or fraction thereof, shall be placed by the applicant in the hands of the Clerk of the House, whence duty it shall be to get the said Bill printed forthwith.

51. Before any petition praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a toll bridge is received by the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also, at the same time, and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a draw bridge or not, and dimensions of the same.

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HOME & GOSSIP.

QU'APPELLE.

—Saltry, isn't it.
—Zero is getting in his work just now.

—A new school building is on the tapis.

—Public school election next Tuesday.

—School matters are attracting a little attention just now.

—39 below zero here Wednesday night and 52 below at Edmonton.

—Writing 1886 has already become as easy as falling off a log.

—Mr. H. Jagger, of the post-office and bank, went to Winnipeg yesterday morning.

—Mr. Russell, of Russell & Davis, butchers, returned to town yesterday from Prince Albert.

—It is not yet too late to make a New Year's gift of a year's subscription to The Progress.

—The public school is expected to open next week with Mr. Wm. Keirstead as teacher.

—Mr. S. H. Caswell's tailoring department will be opened to-morrow with every requirement in that line.

—Mr. H. J. Edwards has leased the Lansdowne Hall, where he will be found ready to cater to the amusement of the public.

—On Thursday next Judge Richardson will hold court here, to be opened at one o'clock. If you have not sued or been sued, the time of service is passed.

—Eighty gallons of spirits were seized and spilled by detectives here on Monday. It was addressed to E. O. Hughes & Co., Prince Albert, and labelled Ecce Oil.

—It is the custom with many papers to miss an issue during the Christmas holidays, but The Progress has not taken advantage of the occasion to establish the custom for itself.

—A number from this place will attend the complimentary dinner to be given at the Fort to Mr. T. W. Jackson, one of our members in the Northwest Council, on Wednesday evening next.

—The skating rink is growing in favor as an evening amusement. The ice is always in good condition, and its convenience is appreciated by all. There is the outer circle for all and the central portion is just the thing for the evolutions of the fancy skater.

—A public meeting will be held in the Methodist church Friday evening, to consider the by-laws and constitution of the Qu'Appelle Choral union. Those interested in the development of music are invited to attend Mr. Sutherland, who will take charge, will not only teach the elementary principles, but the higher branches.

—On Wednesday one of those pleasing events which always causes a flutter of excitement, occurred at the residence of Mr. G. H. V. Bulvea, the occasion being the wedding of Miss R. Louise Bulvea, daughter of Mr. Jas. Bulvea of Gagetown, N. B., to Robt. S. Alexander, of Broadview. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thos. Lawson. The bride was the recipient of many and costly presents.

—A grand masquerade carnival will be held at the Qu'Appelle skating rink on Saturday evening, the 9th inst., to which all are invited. It is expected that there will be a large attendance in various styles of comic and fancy dresses. Four prizes will be given—a season ticket for gentlemen for the best male costume, a season ticket for ladies for the best female costume, a season ticket for boys for the best juvenile costume, and a pair of imperial club skates for the best conique. Rink open at 7:30; only those in costume permitted on the ice till nine o'clock, after which all skaters may use the ice. Admission 25 cents, Children 15 cents, Skates in costume a la carte, and season tickets suspended.

—The body of Mrs. Gray Jones was exhumed on Saturday preparatory to being sent to the Old Country.

—The twenty-four o'clock system is shortly to be introduced by the C. P. R. The Progress has decided to adopt it.

—A complimentary dinner will be given to Judge Richardson at the Queen's hotel on Thursday next after the Court closes. This being the first regular Court held here, it is well to mark the occasion in some way, and we trust all who attend will pass an enjoyable evening.

—Since The Progress was started at Qu'Appelle, both the Winnipeg Free Press and Manitoban have quoted from it, and in most cases given it credit, but they have also credited the Vidette, published at Fort Qu'Appelle twenty-four miles north of here, with matter taken from The Progress. This is unfair and misleading, and we hope it will not recur again.

—The following is the state of the poll held on Monday for the election of councillors for the municipality of South Qu'Appelle: Messrs. B. S. Ross, 128, Thos. Wright, 122, John Correll, 119, T. T. Thomson, 111, A. M. McLane, 103, Jas. Craig, 91, G. S. Davidson, 82, F. Kates, 82, F. G. Marwood, 78, H. McLeish, 59, T. Kidd, 44. Messrs. Davidson and Kates being a tie, the returning officer will have to give his casting vote. Tomorrow is the day fixed by law for making his declaration, when his vote will be cast, deciding who will be the seventh councillor.

EDGELEY.

—The Methodists will hold a social on Friday the 22nd inst. It promises to be the event of the season. In the program both the physical and the intellectual will be provided for.

—Mr. J. R. Brown, sometime ago received a letter from a gentleman in Winnipeg stating that Fred Smith, the well known engineer of Edgeley Farm, had died in the Winnipeg Hospital.

—The Mount Pleasant school which has so long been kept in abeyance by technicalities has at last been recognized, and its promoters have been notified that the prayer of their petition will be granted. It is expected the school will soon be in operation.

BALGONIE.

—James Robinson, the young man who was charged with stealing a new overcoat from Mr. Alex. Middleton, of this place, was arrested at Pilot Butte, by the Mounted Police, on New Year's day. He was taken to Regina for trial.

—A pleasing event took place at the residence of Mr. Robt. Elliott, of this place, on New Year's day. Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. Elliott, was married to Mr. Halpin, of the agency on Muskawapetung Indian reserve. Rev. Mr. Lawson officiated. Invited guests from Regina and Qu'Appelle were present.

FORT QU'APPELLE.

—The Council elected for 1886 are Messrs. S. Cruthers, Thos. Kavanagh, G. Blakely, W. A. Clark, H. Haywood, J. D. Turner, R. Hochly.

—The election contest in this municipality was rather a hot one. In ward three from words they went to blows. While not approving of assault, it would seem that a man is almost justified in castigating a man that will say a bona fide affidavit is a forgery.

—It is the intention of Mr. Jackson's friends and supporters to tender him a complimentary supper at the Town Hall, on Wednesday the 13th prox. All friends are particularly invited to attend. Dinner will be served at six o'clock in the evening. Tickets, one dollar. Let there be a grand rally of his constituents to mark their appreciation of his efforts to procure good government, and an honest and liberal treatment of the natives of the country resident in the Territories. —Vidette.

WOLSELEY.

—The following gentlemen were elected to compose the municipal council of 1886: D. H. Campbell, Robt. Nimmons, R. E. Hall, Thos. Fleming, Joseph Marlin, Saml. Jolly and James Crozier.

THE MILL QUESTION.

The way in which the mill question is being discussed, and the generally favorable opinions expressed either for an out and out municipality mill, or for giving a bonus to a firm for the erection and operation of a flour mill here, is sufficient warrant that the wishes of the ratepayers will soon form itself into some practical scheme. It is conceded by all that aid from the municipality for this purpose will be less expensive to the farmers than being compelled to go to Indian Head or Fort Qu'Appelle for the purpose of getting their wheat ground into flour. It will also tend to the realization of full value for their wheat, which they do not receive.

At the meeting held here for the nomination of candidates for the municipal council, the following resolution was adopted, being moved by Mr. James Fleming seconded by Mr. Mathew Snow.

1. That whereas the want of a flour mill is severely felt by the settlers in this municipality.

2. Further, that proposals have been received to erect a mill for this municipality, the company agreeing to take its debentures at par in payment for said mill. Also offers have been made to erect a mill on receipt of so much bonus, also in debentures.

3. Be it resolved that this meeting do nominate the following gentlemen to act as a committee to receive and consider said offers or any other that may be made, examine same and should said offers be, in their opinion, such as would be to the advantage of the farmers of this municipality, to submit said offers in the form of a petition to the ratepayers to request the council to pass the necessary by-law to give legal effect to the same. The names of the gentlemen all resident in your midst and well known to you all, viz.: Messrs. Levi Thomson, Jno. Mann, Thos. Fleming, Wm. Howie, Wm. Gibson, Arch. McLean and A. B. Bompas.

ELLISBORO.

—The farmers of this vicinity have organized themselves into a society known as the Ellisboro Farmers Club, the object of which is to promote the intellectual and business advancement of its members. Subjects of interest to the farmers will be discussed at its meetings. The second debate under the auspices of the club will be held on Saturday next at two o'clock. Subject—Whether will a bonus to a flour mill or a mill built wholly by Wolseley municipality be the preferable scheme. Mr. Jas. Sutherland is the captain for a bonus, and Mr. Levi Thomson is the captain for a municipality mill.

BATHLEFORD.

(From the Herald)

—A squaw, in speaking of the fight at Cut Knife, said that if the white men had looked under the spring in the bottom of the valley they would have found more Indians than they thought they had killed, the bodies have been buried under the running water to prevent the white folks finding them.

—A Sioux squaw who has been about the neighborhood admits that her husband was killed at Duck Lake. It has been strenuously denied that any Indians were killed at that time, but this admission is one of the first directly made, although the Cree now say that there were "plenty" Indians killed there.

THE ALTAR.

At Balgonie, on New Year's day, by the Rev. Thos. Lawson, of Qu'Appelle, Miss Annie M. D. Elliott daughter of Mr. Robt. W. Elliott of Balgonie to Henry Ross H. son of Joseph son of the late Rev. Prof. Halpin, of Union College, London, Ont.

INDIAN HEAD.

—The result of the municipal election on Monday was as follows: Edwin J. Brooks, 133, David Raiton, 115, J. H. Bunnell, 107, Wm. Broley, 105, H. O. Partridge, 100, Isaac Powell, 81, R. S. Garratt, 76, John Borland, 71, Thos. Mills, 63, G. C. Battiscombe, 42. Messrs. Raiton, Bunnell, Broley and Partridge were members of the old council.

THE MARKETS.

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Report for three weeks ending Jan. 6.

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17	Thursday	34.9	14.1	29.763	29.585
18	Friday	17.8	4.7	30.263	30.290
19	Saturday	28.1	14.0	30.238	30.113
20	Sunday	36.5	19.6	29.913	29.774
21	Monday	35.9	20.0	29.733	29.564
22	Tuesday	33.0	14.0	30.019	29.527
23	Wednesday	21.0	10.1	30.183	30.155
24	Thursday	23.7	6.5	30.128	30.463
25	Friday	30.0	9.0	30.080	
26	Saturday	35.9	9.0	29.973	29.673
27	Sunday	29.4	14.0	30.125	29.813
28	Monday	33.3	21.3	29.710	29.687
29	Tuesday	33.0	14.0	30.133	30.045
30	Wednesday	19.0	12.4	29.839	29.653
31	Thursday	18.3	9.9	30.054	29.745
Jan 1	Friday	9.5	19.3	30.243	30.188
2	Saturday	7.5	22.8	30.361	30.076
3	Sunday	25.4	6.5	30.215	29.898
4	Monday	10.5	8.0	30.438	30.428
5	Tuesday	6.1	19.0	30.478	30.448
6	Wednesday	18.0	29.3	30.031	30.674

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